U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission Common Towns LOG OF MEETING

SUBJECT:

Lint Test Method for Flammable Vapor Ignition MAY - 9 3: 12

Resistant Water Heaters

DATE OF MEETING:

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April 11, 2001 ENTRY DATE:

Cleveland Airport Sheridan Hotel, Cleveland, OH

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SUMMARY OF MEETING: CPSC staff met with the Water Heater Industry Join Product Development Consortium to discuss results of lint tests of their prototype water heaters and their comments on ways to improve the lint test methodology. Comments were presented and will be incorporated into a draft lint test methodology that will be submitted to the ANSI Z21 Water Heater Subcommittee.